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SUBURBAN NEWS

CLINTON

Clinton, March 21.—Charles E. Currie, a former Clinton boy, who has for some months been spending his time and energy in developing a gold mine some sixteen miles from Leads City, was calling upon oldtime friends here last Thursday.

News was received here last week announcing the death of Mr. Patrick of Rapids City, S. D., the husband of Ida Howell Patrick, who for many years was a resident of this place.

Fred Wood and family received the checks for their Mystic Worker insurance last week. This society is very prompt in all its payments.

Mrs. Minnie Weaver reached home on Thursday last, after an absence of some four months.

The concert given at the Congregational church on Friday evening by a large chorus of local singers under the leadership of Prof. Hall of Beloit, assisted by Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Dowd and Mr. Beck, was one of the most enjoyable and finest musical programs given here in years, notwithstanding it was not given with but little practice, especially on the part of the pianist, yet she and all the rest did remarkably well.

Mrs. Dan Ames was a recent visitor here.

Mrs. Myrtle Pangborn arrived home on Friday.

Mrs. Ryan is spending a few days with relatives near Creston, Ill.

The M. E. social, given at the home of Mrs. Stoney a short time since, was a decided success, the attendance being sufficient so that the receipts were over \$27.

Frank Stoney injured himself by lifting a few days ago, since which time his back has bothered him so that he has been confined to his bed.

Mrs. Nettie Scott was called to Chicago on business Monday evening.

Mrs. W. S. Northway visited her parents at Davis, Ill., last week.

The supper given by the Congregational church on Friday evening was largely patronized and was, as usual, a fine success.

The James Gibbons place on Pleasant street was sold at auction on Saturday, the highest bid being \$500 and Mr. Monaghan the purchaser.

The high school boys are very proud of their new manual training department.

While attending the furnace recently, Foster Wheeler had his face badly burned and his hair singed by the flame puffing out. Fortunately his eyes were not injured.

Frank Cookley is spending his vacation here.

The meetings at the Baptist church are to be continued each evening this week.

Rev. Mr. Knight was in Baraboo Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Parks of Delavan was a Sunday visitor here.

The Misses Parks helped out with the singing at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

It is now reported that a goodly number of new buildings will be put up here during the present season.

Dr. C. W. Collier has joined the Clinton auto club, having purchased a four-cylinder Ford touring-car of the Janesville Garage Co.

C. L. Hanson has announced to his friends his intention of moving to Kansas or Oklahoma in the near future, and general sorrow is expressed by everyone, as Mr. and Mrs. Hanson are one of our best and most beloved families and all are exceedingly sorry to have them leave us. They will certainly be very sadly missed in our church, club and social life. The place where they locate will certainly be very fortunate. Mr. Hanson is one of Nature's real noblemen.

D. C. Griswold was again taken worse Sunday afternoon and is very low. The doctor's many friends are very anxious about him. As soon as he recovers sufficiently he will go to a hospital for treatment.

Chas. Dierling, who accidentally shot himself several days ago, is improving and getting along better than was thought at first possible.

O. A. Florida has concluded to quit raising tobacco and give his entire time and attention to raising sugar and his glazing garden.

A class of twelve were confirmed Sunday at the German Lutheran church. The ceremony was very impressive.

EDGERTON

Edgerton, March 22.—At the M. E. church Rev. P. C. Richardson chose for his moving theme "The Making and Unmaking of Manhood," and in the evening "The Modern Juggernaut."

At the Congregational church on Sunday evening Rev. L. A. Parr preached the third of a series of sermons on "The Nation."

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CHINA INVITES THE FLEET

MINISTER WU ASKS THAT IT VISIT HIS COUNTRY.

Foreign Minister at Peking Orders Viceroy at Nanking to Make Suitable Preparations.

Washington, Mar. 21.—China, through Minister Wu, its diplomatic representative in Washington, has extended a cordial invitation for the American battleship fleet to stop in China on its way around the world.

On receipt of a dispatch from the minister of foreign affairs for China Monday, indicating that instructions have been given to welcome the vessels, Mr. Wu promptly sent a letter to Secretary Root. The latter was absent from the department and the communication will be laid before him Tuesday. The cablegram upon which Mr. Wu based his invitation came from the minister of foreign affairs at Peking substantially in the following words:

"As the American fleet is to visit the far east we have given telegraphic instructions to the viceroy at Nanking to make suitable preparations, in conjunction with Admiral Sui, the ranking officer of the navy, to welcome the fleet to Chinese shores."

Information has reached the navy department that New Zealand and Tasmania have similar invitations to the fleet by mail.

Honolulu, Cal., Mar. 24.—Rear Admiral Behren's squadron of the Pacific fleet, composed of the cruisers Tennessee, Washington and California, reached this harbor at noon Monday.

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Confession at Fairfield, Ill., by One of Three Men.

Fairfield, Ill., Mar. 24.—An old man was murdered that \$500 insurance on his life might be divided among three men, according to a signed confession made Monday to the state's attorney of Wayne county by Isaac Gay, a nephew of Wesley T. Bradlock, an aged recluse, whose body was found in an abandoned well near here more than a year ago.

In the statement Gay declares that James Haines, an agent for the United States Life Endowment company, another Bradlock to death and, with his brother William's help, threw the body into the well. Gay said he insured the old man's life, with himself as beneficiary, after he and James Haines had altered a medical certificate which the company had previously rejected.

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Admission White of Whitesville, N. Y., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stephens.

Ed. Gronawalt has resigned his position as clerk at the Hotel Shorth and is assisting Mr. Alton Jure in taking care of the eggs at this station for the M. J. Power company.

Seaweed Christiana takes Mr. Gronawalt's place at the hotel.

Joe Schwartz of Spring Green is visiting his brother, H. G. Schwartz, in this city.

Otto Gilbert spent Monday in Janesville.

James Anderson of Oshkosh, who spent the past week here the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. Lloyd Smith, departed Monday for his home.

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George Moore returned to Monroe Monday morning to resume his studies in the business college.

Mr. Jesse Brandt came up from Rockford Monday for a short visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Lou Hahn is assisting Miss Virginia Luckin at the library.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stephenson are visiting in Milwaukee.

Mr. Oscar Moldenhauer was here from Juda on Saturday.

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Mr. Wm. Rutley made a business trip to Brookhead Monday morning.

NORTH SPRING VALLEY.

North Spring Valley, March 23.—William Mann and Thomas Harper attended the meeting of the Woodmen at Evansville last Thursday night.

Fred Hagemann received a shipment of fancy poultry last week.

Herman Mann returned from Madison Friday.

Thomas Flynn has rented his tenant farm to parties from near Footville.

David Acheson spent a few days recently with his sister, Mrs. T. T. Harper.

Maek Harper delivered stock at Footville Monday.

F. R. Lowry of Footville was here on business Monday.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

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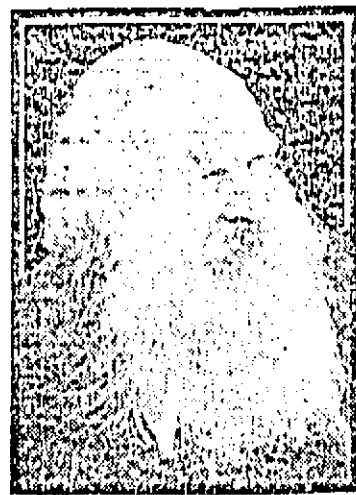
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The government powder houses at Batuco, 20 miles north of Santiago, Chile, were blown up, causing a panic in the city, which was shaken to its foundation.

Blessings Are Common.

Blessings are so common nowadays that a man remembers an injury longer.—Manchester Union.



FRANK McNALLY, SAID TO BE THE OLDEST WHITE MAN LIVING.

Clinton, Mich., March 23.—Frank McNally will be 111 years old on April 17 of this year. From his physical appearance indications point to his reaching the age of at least 125 years. Mr. McNally was born in County Mayo, Ireland, April 17, 1797. He landed at Castle Garden at the age of 16, after spending seven weeks and four days in crossing the ocean on a merchant ship named Martha Gardner. He drove a stage coach 35 years ago from Harlem bridge to the city hall before any street car was thought of. He spent a number of years as a deep water seaman, sailing to foreign countries. Mr. McNally has had many hard knocks, but still feels confident he will reach the ripe age of 125 years. He has always possessed a good disposition. He claims the only loss which caused him any pain was when he had a tooth pulled 25 years ago. He attributes his longevity to his seafaring life on the heavy seas. He has no liking for fresh water. Mr. McNally's habits have always been temperate and he has taken plenty of exercise.

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WIDOW IS UNDER ARREST.

Sensational Developments Expected in Iowa Murder Case.

Waterloo, Ia., Mar. 21.—Mrs. Aric Whilbeck, widow of the man who was murdered in Payette county last Wednesday night, was taken into custody following her husband's funeral pending an investigation. Sensational developments are expected. Whilbeck was beaten to death with a heavy sled-stake while on the way to his barn to care for a sick horse.

Two Bank Officials Accused. Pittsburgh, Pa., Mar. 24.—William Folds, United States bank examiner, acting under advice of United States District Attorney J. W. Dunkle, Monday made two informations against John Young, auditor of the Farmers' Deposit National bank of this city, and Henry Reiber, paying teller, charging them with embezzling and misapplying \$85,000 of the bank's money. Young and Reiber were arrested.

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STRIPE SUITING, in different widths of stripes, colors, browns, tans, navy, Copenhagen and black. Prices..\$1.00 yd. and up

BLACK AND COLORED VOILES, again

very popular this season, in French and German makes. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00 yd. Besides above mentioned cloths the veils, batistes, Panamas, serges, Collongdale, and taffeta cloths are receiving buying activities.

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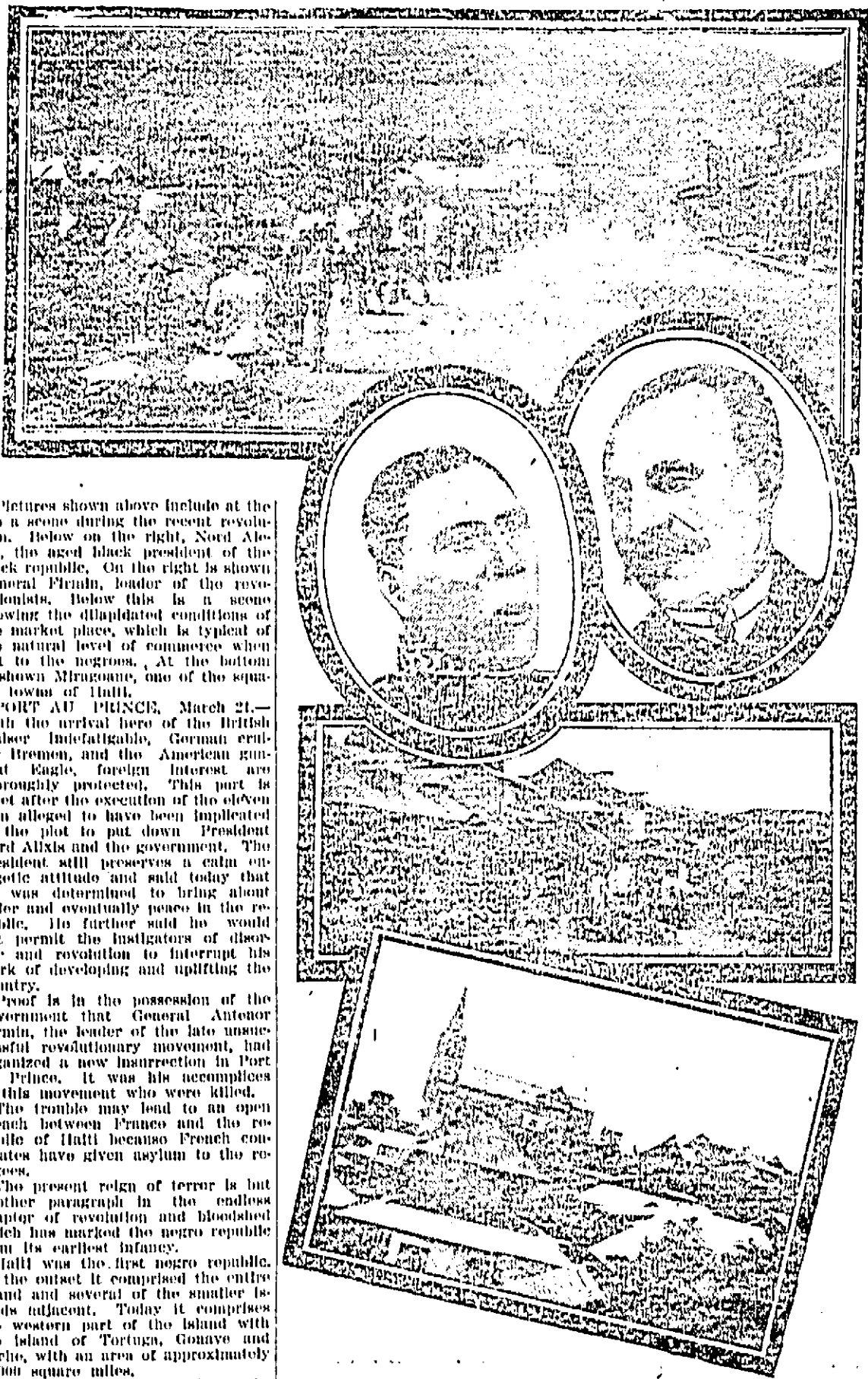
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Pictures shown above include at the top a scene during the recent revolution. Below on the right, Nord Alexis, the aged black president of the black republic. On the right is shown General Pléchin, leader of the revolutionists. Below this is a scene showing the dilapidated conditions of the market place, which is typical of the natural level of commerce when left to the negroes. At the bottom is shown Miruscarre, one of the square towns of Haiti.

PORT AU PRINCE, March 21.—With the arrival here of the British cruiser Indefatigable, German cruiser Bremen, and the American gunboat Eagle, foreign interest was thoroughly protected. This port is quiet after the execution of the eleven men alleged to have been implicated in the plot to put down President Nord Alexis and the government. The president still preserves a calm optimistic attitude and said today that he was determined to bring about order and eventually peace in the republic. He further said he would not permit the instigators of disorder and revolution to interrupt his work of developing and uplifting the country.

Proof is in the possession of the government that General Antoine Pléchin, the leader of the late unsuccessful revolutionary movement, had organized a new insurrection in Port au Prince. It was his accomplices in this movement who were killed.

The trouble may lead to an open breach between France and the republic of Haiti because French consulates have given asylum to the refugees.

The present reign of terror is but another paragraph in the endless chapter of revolution and bloodshed which has marked the negro republic from its earliest infancy.

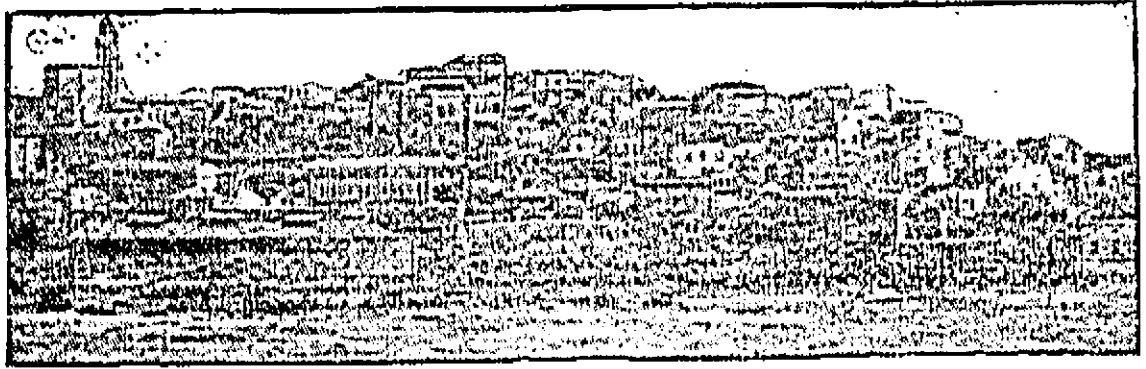
Haiti was the first negro republic. At the outset it comprised the entire island and several of the smaller islands adjacent. Today it comprises the western part of the island with the island of Tortuga, Gonave and Yauco, with an area of approximately 11,000 square miles.

The new republic came into existence January 1, 1804, and Dessalines was proclaimed president for life. He was assassinated in 1806. Subsequently the republic was divided. Christophe, a black, ruling the northern part; Pétion, another black, the southern. Upon the death of Christophe, in 1820, Boyer, who assumed his office, overcame Pétion and ruled until his overthrow in 1843.

In 1844 another split came. The

republic of Santo Domingo was established in the eastern part of the island, the republic Hayti in the western part. A series of wars covering several years followed between the two republics. In 1849 the negro president Soulouque proclaimed himself emperor, ruled in despotic fashion, and attempted to annex Santo Domingo. More bloodshed followed.

Gérard, a mulatto, restored the republic in 1850 and held power until 1867. Civil war raged again in 1888-9 between the rival candidates for the presidency, Generals Hippolyte and Legitime. Hippolyte was victorious and ruled with unlimited authority until his death in 1896. General Simon Sam succeeded him and ruled until 1902, when he was forced to resign.



THE PALACE OF VERSAILLES.

Of all the interesting historical spots none in the world possesses the cosmopolitan internationality of the palace at Versailles, France. The palace has been the scene of many of the most important events in the history of the world. Here, in this splendid royal villa, here in 1763 was signed the treaty whereby Great Britain acknowledged the independence of the United States of America. Here in the memorable year

formed the first republican constitution of France, and here almost a century later King William of Prussia was proclaimed emperor of a united Germany. Versailles claims a place in world history. In addition to this, many a secondary interest attaches to the palace, not the least of which is the memorable story of the French revolution and the imprisonment of

Louis XVI. and Mary Antoinette. It was from this palace that Louis and the Austrian woman attempted to escape from the French mobs, seeking safety in Austria, an effort which the revolutionists arrested at Nantes. It was here that Louis, his queen, his son and daughter, made their last home before imprisonment, trial by the commune and execution by the guillotine, from which the son and daughter alone escaped.

Versailles was an important village until 1682 when Louis XVI. began to build the great palace which was to be his summer residence. The palace of Versailles is still one of the architectural triumphs of Europe.

Don't handicap yourself at the start by feeling that you haven't as good a chance as the other fellow.

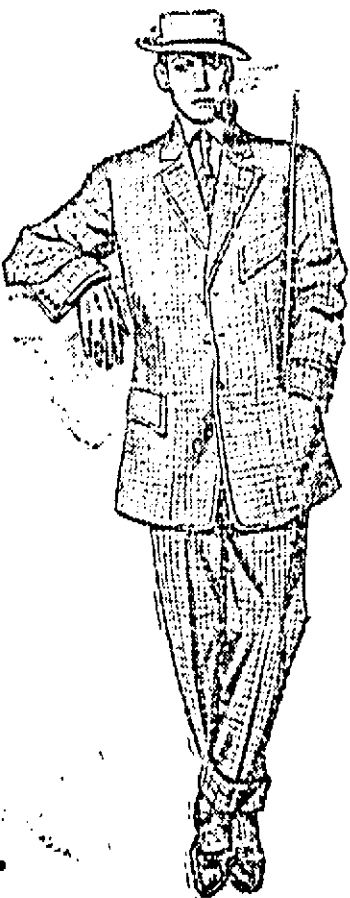
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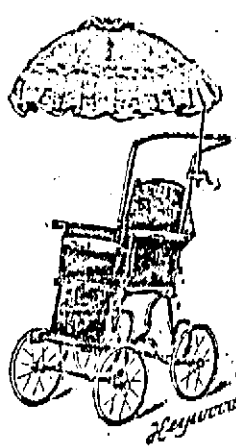
New York City, March 21.—Miss Sarah Stanton Hatch, grand-daughter of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, has been engaged on the engineering staff of New York's new aqueduct by the water board. Miss Hatch has a charming personality and has a decided liking for engineering problems. She was graduated from Cornell university in 1895, being the first woman to be graduated by the civil engineering department. Upon leaving college she engaged in the service of the American Bridge company, where her success prompted the New York water

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for it ends as usual, March 31.

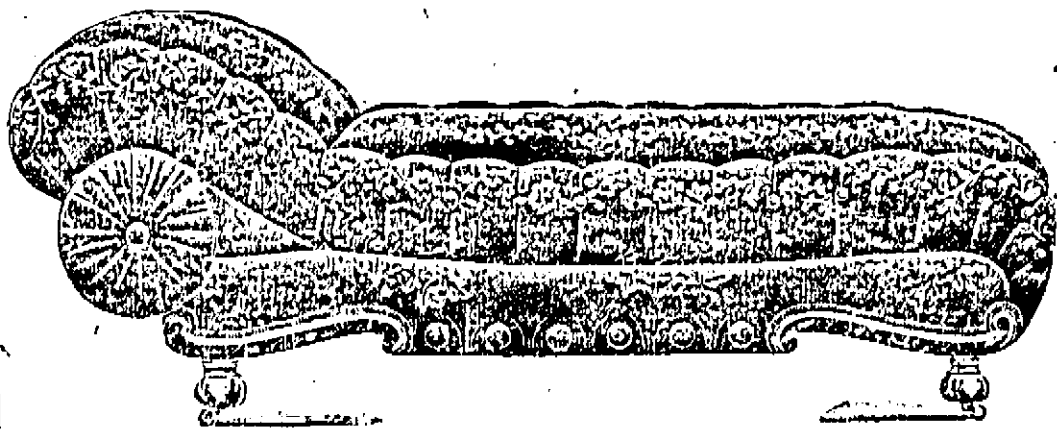
If you have not taken advantage of this sale, the only possible reason can be, you need no furniture. If you do not want the goods delivered for two or three weeks, we will hold them for you, but there will be no goods sold at prices now asked, after the last day of March. Our line is complete and all our new spring goods are unpacked and all offered at the low prices.

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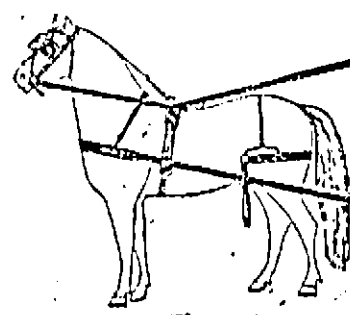
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The very first essential is "Good work."
"Any old thing" won't do when it comes to work in your mouth.
Another desideratum is Painless work.

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They say you can pay \$5,000 for an automobile, or you can get a good serviceable machine for \$1,000 if you wish. Some makers get far more than others for their output.

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Dr. Richards has fixed up many a decayed tooth for 75c, and sent the patient away so satisfied in every way that he has sent all his family and friends for their work.

Whereas he might have charged the man \$3.00 and never seen him again.

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"Painless work."
"Reasonable Prices."

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Ladies' and Gentlemen's clothes dry cleaned and pressed, also lace and chenille curtains. Carpets dyed.

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Latest Motion Pictures.

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Amateur Night, Friday.

GENERAL ADMISSION

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Reserved Seats 20 cents.

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Located corner Center and Western avenues, Janesville, Wis. This market is in shape to open for business. Good large living rooms over the same, large box, plenty of barn room, splendid cellars. Hay scales in front of building. Will exchange for other property.

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Call on W. W. Nash, who will do business with you.

In the Bottling and Pasteurizing of our**Pure Pasteurized Milk**

we thoroughly wash and sterilize with LIVE STEAM every implement, every utensil, every machine, even the floors are scalded every morning.

You might as well have the best.

6c a quart, delivered.

3c a pint, delivered.

Janesville Pure Milk Co.

GRIDLEY & CRAFT.

22 No. Bluff St.

OLD PHONE 3911.

NEW PHONE 980.

GOOD VOTE CAST FOR PRIMARIES**THREE WARDS HAVE HOT FIGHTS ON FOR ALDERMAN.****NOT AS HEAVY AS LAST YEAR****Battle Royal for the City Attorneyship—Autos and Rigs Rush Voters to Polls.**

While there is a good vote for the different candidates in the various wards the total will be much lighter than last year when the Mayorality fight was on. In the first and third wards the fight is confined to the republican candidates, no democratic nominations having been made. In the second Edward C. Baumann, democratic candidate for Alderman, is the only democrat on the ticket, while in the fourth and fifth there are no republican nominations. There are no democratic nominations on the city ticket, making the contests merely for the long term justiceship and city attorney.

Fighting Hard

There are only two men who are sure of their nomination on the city ticket—James A. Fathens for city treasurer and Charles H. Lange for the short term for justice of the peace. The fight between Adair and Maxfield promises to be a hair-raising finish. Maxfield is polling a strong vote in the first and fourth, a good sprinkling in the fifth, while Adair is piling up a majority in the second and more than splitting even in the third. Tallman will undoubtedly defeat Blanchard in the city for the long term for justice.

Two Contests

In the first the result is hard to conjecture. William F. Carle and William H. Merrill are fighting it out for aldermanic nomination with honors ahead of them. Carle's workers claim they are ahead, but the difference, if any, will be small. In the second Adair and Scott are fighting it out with Maxfield. P. Richardson the only candidate for supervisor and Wallace E. Watts out for constable. In the first ward at once the total vote was 175. Last year at the same time it was 230. In the second ward at the same hour it was 151, last year 190.

In the Third

In the third two contests are on—a three-cornered aldermanic fight with Kimball, Watt and Maxfield, and J. L. Bear and L. C. Brower fighting it out for supervisor. The contest for alderman lies between Kimball and Watt with an apparent lead for Watt this noon. Brower is making a hard fight against Bear, but Bear is rallying all his old standbys and the result promises to be most interesting. The vote this year was 330 and last year 401.

Fourth and Fifth

In the fourth there is no contest. John I. Sheridan for alderman and Frank M. Little for supervisor have no opposition. In the fifth three names appear on the ballot—James Clough, Eugene Delbo and George W. Richardson. Richardson for supervisor and W. J. Dunn for constable have no opposition. The vote in the fourth this year at one was 115 to 128 last year, and in the fifth 131 this year to 144 last year.

Close at Seven

The polls do not close until seven this evening, after which it will take some time for the ballots to be counted. It is expected the returns will all be in by eight and the Gazette has made arrangements to receive the returns at the office as quickly as possible. The main office will be open and the returns posted there.

LOCK-UP HAS LODGED 1,219 SINCE DEC. 1**Aside from the Drunks and Criminals**

—Ninety Per Cent Were Men in Search of Employment.

Exactly 1,219 men without work have applied for and obtained lodging in the city lock-up since December 1, the largest aggregate in a decade, and according to City Marshal Appleby's estimate 90 per cent of them were barbers, butchers, machinists, and other artisans in search of employment and only 10 per cent could be classed as professional hoboes. Almost every night of late from 15 to 30 of them have been given shelter overnight and breakfast in the morning and the March total—already 365—will exceed that of any of the preceding months. The breakfast is not an elaborate one, consisting as it does only of black coffee and "punk" (the jail term for bread). No butter or milk enters into the bill-of-fare. On the average six gallons of the coffee and from 12 to 14 loaves are consumed daily. There were 15 lodgers and 2 drunks last evening. One of the latter, an individual named Jim Smith, persisted in beating his head on the boards of his couch and a physician had to be summoned. The doctor found that his pulse was normal and could ascribe his conduct to nothing but pure craziness.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Leonardo D. V. Judd.

Dr. Leonardo D. V. Judd, a brother of the late Dr. Thor Judd and a cousin of Mrs. Baker Woodruff and Stanley J. Smith of this city, died at his home in Philadelphia last week. Dr. Judd was a member of the first territorial legislature of Colorado, going to that state in 1859. For the past thirty-five years he has been practicing his profession in Philadelphia.

The Mean Thing.

"My husband stayed home all day Sunday and played with the children." "Yes, I notice that the saloons were all closed by the police." And the conversation that followed was too fast for us to get.—Detroit Free Press.

Lovebird Learned to Talk.

A lovebird, no larger than a canary, has taught itself to speak as fluently and as distinctly as the best of talking parrots at the village of Ambleside.—London Daily Mail.

Day It in Janesville.**EXTEMPORANEOUS SEMI-FINALS ON****High School Students Have Preliminary Contest For the Recorder Medal.**

At the high school building this afternoon occurred the preliminary contest in extemporaneous speaking for the Recorder Medal. The entire school has been divided into about thirteen sections for this work, each teacher having one section. Four pupils have been chosen by each of the various teachers from their sections and these pupils will participate in the contest held this afternoon. The four best speakers will be chosen from those who speak today and they will take part in the final contest for the medal which will occur later in the year.

Opening Exercises.

The opening exercises at the high school this morning were given by the high school orchestra. The following selections were given, "Give the Countersign," "Eynah," "Willow Grove March," and "The Constitution." The orchestra was composed of five violins, a flute, a clarinet, a trombone, a euphonium. The cellist was absent today.

WATER-COLORS AND ART CHINA.

Miss Dow Brings Much of Beauty From Madison.

The exhibit of art china and water-colors from the studio of Miss Lella Dow of Madison in Flecken is receiving much well deserved attention from those who love beauty. Miss Dow displays in her work the true artistic temperament and her reproduction from nature in detail and color harmony show a remarkable aptitude for that department of art. There are over 50 water-colors in various sizes, from the small post card water scene to the larger landscape and flower pictures; there are also a number of beautiful portraits of women.

Miss Dow's showing of art china is wide in range of ideas. There are many handsome bowls, vases, plates, small table pieces, dresser pieces, and ornamental pieces; there are also a number of pieces done on American Delftware in lustre that old time art which is being revived and which Miss Dow's work shows evidence of having mastered; the depth of color and ornamental designs on this work are remarkable.

EFFECTIVE ABSENT TREATMENT.

Doctor—Tell your mamma I have been so busy that I was unable to call last week.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Sheriff L. U. Fisher departed this morning on a trip to the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis have returned from a sojourn at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Mrs. W. H. Fulton of Rockford is the guest of her son, John U. Fulton, 10 South River street.

Ray Inman, formerly of this city and now a resident of Franklin, Pa., is in Janesville for a visit.

I. F. Wertendyke has been transacting business in the east.

Myron E. Barnes and family of Rockford, who in the city today on their way to Milwaukee.

Richard Dwyer has returned to Milwaukee to resume his studies at the Milwaukee Medical College.

Mr. James Monahan was in town for a short time this morning.

W. G. Wheeler went to Chicago this morning.

E. H. Shinson of Sloughton, was a Janesville visitor today.

Mrs. G. W. Field went to Chicago this morning.

C. W. Reeder accompanied by his daughter, Isabelle, and mother-in-law, Mrs. D. C. Ward, went to Milwaukee this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Los Angeles, Cal., who have been visiting friends in Janesville, left for their home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Spoon, who have been visiting here for the past week, expect to leave for their home in Riverside, Cal., on next Thursday.

A. E. Baumann of Watertown is transacting business here.

M. J. Mahoney was here from Illinois last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elsch were here from Appleton last evening.

Rev. A. R. Munro, a priest from Milwaukee, Wis., who graduated from Oxford, England, was ordained as an Episcopalian minister; and became a convert to Catholicism after an interview with Cardinal Gibbons, was a visitor in Janesville last evening.

G. L. Drury of Morganfield, Kentucky, and W. C. White of Memphis, Tenn., were here yesterday in conference with George R. Parker, who has recently acquired holdings in some southern coal mine property in which the first named, particularly, is heavily interested.

W. E. Hibbard, manager of the Bell Telephone Co., exchange at Burlington, was in the city last evening.

E. L. Howell of Beloit was a Janesville visitor last night.

C. C. Rogers is here from Milwaukee on business.

A. W. Wolfman of Madison, a brother of Walter Wolfman the explorer and newspaper correspondent, is here from Madison.

Uncle Allen.

"Facts may be stubborn things," moralized Uncle Allen Sparks, "but I've noticed that a lie is a good deal harder to kill off."

Read the want ads.

WANTED—At once, at Gazette office, clean, good sized, cotton rug for window covering.

Wait for the lady, military opening at Mrs. M. E. Woodstock's, Wednesday, April first.

At The Big Sanitary Grocery**Fish For Wednesday**

Fresh Trout, 12½c lb.

Fresh Pike, 12½c lb.

Smoked Whitefish, extra fine 15c lb.

Smoked Trout, 12½c lb.

Smoked Salmon, 12½c lb.

Smoked Halibut, heavy chunks, 22c lb.

Smoked Blotlers, 3 for 10c.

Dressed Herring, 18c lb.

Spiced Holland Herring, 3 for 10c.

Sliced Smoked Halibut, ½-lb. Cartons, 10c.

Genuine Georgia Bank Codfish Middles, 18c lb.

Codfish, 1-lb. bricks, 12c.

Peacock Salmon, 18c can, a dandy.

Palm Mustard Sardines, fine, 10c can.

Salt Whitefish, 12½c lb.

Salt Mackerel, 15c lb.

Salt Columbia River Salmon 12½c lb.

Salt Holland Herring, 10c lb., 3 lbs. for 25c.

2 CANS RED SALMON 25c

FIG COOKIES 12½c LB.

TOASTED CORN FLAKES 8c PKG.

JELL-O, ALL FLAVORS, 8c PKG.

LARGE CAN TOMATOES 10c CAN.

5 LBS. MO-JA COFFEE \$1.00

SWIFT'S JERSEY BUTTERINE 16c LB.

3 GLASSES PURE JELLY 25c

FULL CREAM CHEESE 18c LB.

GOLDEN PALACE FLOUR Best Flour made—try a sack.

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Use Taylor's Solvay coko.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles will dispose of the Boardman & Gray piano tonight at 8 o'clock at their hall. Everybody welcome.

Our new spring shirt suits and wash goods are now on display and a large range of styles and patterns to select from at special low prices. T. P. Burns.

Meetings at the Mary Kimball mission are increasing in interest. The meeting of last Sunday evening was one of very great interest. Those present felt that it was good to be there, as in glowing terms, G. F. Rhinehart, told of the pleasures of true piety. Mr. Rhinehart will conduct the service again this evening. Everybody is cordially invited.

A regular meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 43, O. E. S., will be held in Masonic Temple tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be work—M. Chittenden, Secy.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held with Miss Maria Gibbs at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Mrs. Kellogg will have charge of the "Need Dow" program. Every officer, superintendent and member is expected to be present, and all interested in temperance work are invited.

Imperial Band Minstrels April 6th. What do you know about that?

STATES LOSE IN SUPREME COURT

DECISIONS IN CONFLICTS WITH FEDERAL TRIBUNALS.

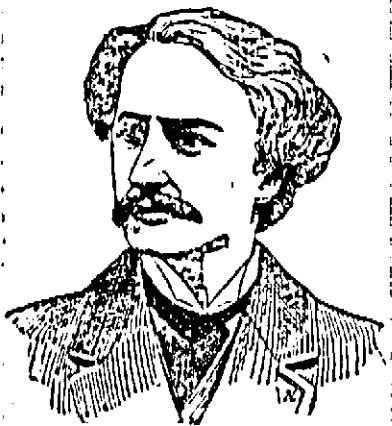
OPINION IS BY PECKHAM

Minnesota and North Carolina Both Defeated in Litigation That Concerned Railroad Rates.

Washington, Mar. 24.—In refusing to grant to Attorney General Young of Minnesota a writ of habeas corpus releasing him from the penalty imposed by the United States circuit court for the district of Minnesota on the charge of contempt of court in instituting a proceeding in a state court for the enforcement of the railroad rate law after the federal court had prohibited such a course, and in affirming the decision of Judge Pritchard of the United States circuit court for the western district of North Carolina, discharging from imprisonment James H. Wood, a ticket agent of the Southern railway at Asheville, after he had been sentenced by the Asheville police court to serve a term on the rock pile on the charge of collecting for a ticket on the road a greater price than was permitted by the state railroad law, the supreme court of the United States Monday added another to the series of decisions which have rendered notable the present term of that court.

In both cases the right of the states to fix rates for railroad transportation was the issue and both involved conflicts between the federal and the state courts.

Justice Harlan Dissents. The decision in each case was opposed both to the states and to their courts. The opinion of the court in both cases was announced by Justice Peckham and with the exception of Justice Harlan all the other members



Justice Rufus W. Peckham.

of the court stood behind him in the announcement of the court's finding. Justice Harlan read a dissenting opinion in the Young case in which he took the view that the suit was practically a proceeding against the state and therefore not permissible under the eleventh amendment to the constitution.

The two cases were so similar that both practically were decided in one opinion. The principal pronouncement was made in the Minnesota case.

Outline of the Opinion. Justice Peckham's opinion was authoritatively outlined as follows: "The court has decided: That by reason of the enormous penalties provided in the rate laws, by way of fines against the companies and imprisonments of their agents and employees, the companies are in effect prevented from ever questioning the validity of those laws, as the risk of confiscation of property and imprisonment of agents in case the companies failed in their defense was too much to undertake in order to obtain a judicial decision of the question of such validity.

"Such laws are therefore held unconstitutional as they prevented the companies from resorting to the courts, and therefore deprived them of the equal protection of the laws.

"The question of the sufficiency of the rates to enable the company to obtain some return to its stockholders for their investments has for many years been held to be one for the courts to decide as it would be a violation of the constitution of the United States to fix rates so low as to be confiscatory if enforced.

Must Not Be Confiscatory. "The laws providing rates for transportation of passengers and freight in the two cases under consideration have been held by the courts below to be so low as to be substantially confiscatory, and should therefore not be enforced until after further trials. The courts had jurisdiction to make such an order.

"It has also for many years been held that a suit is not one against the state, although it prevents a state officer from bringing suits for the enforcement of a state enactment which fixed rates so low as to be confiscatory and which was therefore a violation of the constitution of the United States and this principle is reiterated and again decided in these cases.

"It is no more a suit against the state than is a proceeding which compels a person in his custody charged with a crime against the state before a federal court or judge who thereupon discharges such a person on the ground that his imprisonment is in violation of the federal constitution. Such a proceeding has been held valid for many years past."

Bondage of Laziness. Laziness begets in cobwebs and ends in iron chains.—Spanish Proverb.

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The Piano speaks for itself. It can be seen at Hinterschied's at any time

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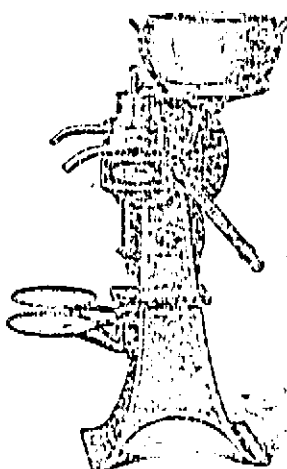
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Care Hinterschied's 5c and 10c Store, Janesville, Wis.

Mark the envelope plainly "Sealed Bid."

Special Announcement to Cow Owners



It is with more than ordinary enthusiasm that we beg to call the attention of our cow owners and dairy farmers to the new 1908 line of the Improved De Laval Cream Separators, consisting of ten machines, ranging in capacity from 125 lbs. to 1350 lbs. of milk per hour.

Although for a number of years the De Laval machines have seemed as nearly perfect as separators could be, thousands of dollars have been and are being spent annually in the effort to improve them. The past two years of experiments and tests have been uniformly productive of new ideas and big improvements in separator construction. Even the highest hopes of the De Laval expert-mental force and mechanical experts themselves have been exceeded.

The principal De Laval improvements are greater simplicity of construction, ease of cleaning and replacement of parts, less cost of repairs when necessary, easier hand operation, more complete separation under hard conditions, greater capacity and a material reduction of prices in proportion to capacity.

If you intend buying a separator do not fail to examine the new De Laval styles before you make your selection, as otherwise you must surely regret it later on. A handsome new 1908 De Laval catalog can be had for the asking.

H. L. McNAMARA Agent for De Laval Separators, Janesville, Wis.



EASTER MILLINERY

If you want the hat all ready to wear, buy it at The White House—but don't buy it until you are sure that it's just the hat you want. Our prices range from \$1.45 to \$19.50, and at whatever price, you secure the best Easter value ever offered in Janesville.

Women's Suit Sale

A BEAUTIFUL NEW SPRING \$20 SUIT AT \$13.75

It is a suit that has taken New York by storm, and it has never before been offered for less than \$20.

It's a dashing style of shadow stripe or plain chiffon, Panama in Navy blue, brown and black.

The coat has the new dip front and is bound with silk braids, full seam fitting back elegantly tailored. Skirt is an attractive new style in "pipe organ" or pleated effects, finished with self-fold. Buy this week at sale price \$13.75

\$15 SUITS FOR \$10

Several smart novelty Suits—Coats 24 and 26 inch graceful styles—Novel fancy trimmed styles—made of Panama Navy, brown and black or fancy stripe effects.

Extra wide full pleated or gored Skirts with self fold choice at sale price . . \$10

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"Jersey" Butterine per lb. 15c
McLaughlin's XXXX Coffee, per pound 13c

Breakfast Food "Korn Kinks" package 5c
Holland Herring, choice per keg 83c

Old Fashioned Sun Cured Jap Tea, pound 38c
Turkish Fancy Dates, per lb. 8c

Santa Claus Soap, 7 bars . 22c
New York Baldwin Apples, per peck 25c

3 Rolls Fancy Toilet Paper for 10c
4 Cans of Choice Sugar Corn for 25c

3 Cans of Red Ripe Tomatoes for 25c
Eggs, new laid, per doz. . . 15c

10 lbs. Cane Granulated Sugar for 48c
4 doz. Clothes Pins for . . 5c

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THE WHITE HOUSE
JANESVILLE'S GREATEST DEPARTMENT STORE

New \$1 Corsets for 69c

These Glove fitting Corsets are new styles long and short hip with hose supporter attached, sizes 18 to 30 at 69c
Tubular and Girdle Corsets long and short hips with hose supporters attached, all spring styles at 39c



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Double fold Cream Silk Tissue, at sale price, yard 23c

36-in. Cream or White Herculite at White Sale price, yd. . 29c

Wool Albatross, 36 inches wide, fine quality, per yard . . . 45c

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—FOR MEN—

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There's a Regal style for your every requirement and just as correct and desirable as the one illustrated. \$3.50 and \$4.00

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OFFERS WORKERS TO
THE NEEDY FARMERS

Darrell Hibbard Writes From Racine
That Men There Are Seeking
Work.

Good, bad, or indifferent farm help
has been almost impossible to obtain
for several years. So long has this
been true that a wide gap has opened
between the interests of the man of
the city and the man of the country.
The mere fact that the words "farm
man" are rarely, if ever heard in the
city is significant of the width of
this breach. This will make it hard
for the two to come together and is
one of the reasons why it has become
hard to get help to do farm work.

The demand for labor in the cities
has drawn the factory hand far away
from the country, and he has been
held close to the work bench for so
long a time that he has quite forgot-
ten the "old golden rule" and the
small of "how mown hay." The Ameri-
can farmer has proved himself able
to raise anything that will grow from
the ground if he uses a little cheap
manure, but he can't seem to coax
help from the city shops with good
hard cash for fertilizer. Such a state
of affairs is unnatural and should not
exist as it is not to the interest of
either party.

At this time some of the large city
shops are shutting down and will re-
main closed until after election this
fall. Men in the city must work or
go hungry and good, provident, fore-
sighted men are already looking for
work outside of the shops. It is a
fact that the hater a man is the
longer he will go hungry before he
will seek work. For this reason the
April contracts to do farm work will
call out a superior class of men. Men
that will do good work on the farms
because they are industrious by na-
ture. They will be found to be strong-
er and very much more willing than
the hungry, lazy "pick ups" that will
be expensive help at any price during
the summer months.

One of the largest shops in the city
of Racine is to close its doors on the
28th day of this month and it is be-
lieved that there will be a large
number of good men available at
once. Men who are in need of farm
help are asked to send their names for
further information to Darrell
Hibbard, Racine, Wisconsin. Who
will take pleasure in supplying their
needs. No fees are required of em-
ployers.

HAS A GOOD BILL
FOR SECOND WEEK

Clever Artists at Local Pullto Vaude-
ville House Appeared Last
Evening.

Moving pictures opened the pro-
gram of the second week at the West
Side Theatre last evening. They
were followed by Milano and Alvin



In a clever comedy sketch entitled
"Only A Joker," C. L. Anderson sings
"Star Of My Life" this week illus-
trated by colored pictures. Bartlett
and Collins followed with a comedy
sketch in which slugging, tumbling,
heavy tragedy and facial contortions
played a part. This turn is very
clever and is worth seeing. Alfred
Anderson, the female impersonator,
in a remarkably good make-up, sang
several songs which were well
received. The last act was especially
pleasing, being Miss Harry Osborne
and her trained dogs, pony and
monkey.

They were all very well trained
and performed some unusually clever
tricks.

STRUCK AND THROWN THIRTY
FEET BY INTERURBAN CAR

"Bud" Delmer of Deloit Sustained In-
juries Which Will Cost Him His
Life Near Yost's Park
Yesterday.

"Bud" Delmer, a resident of Deloit
and at one time employed in that
city as a bartender, was struck near
Yost's Park yesterday afternoon by
the interurban car leaving here at
1:15, and sustained injuries from
which he was not expected to recover.
The unfortunate man was signaling
the car to stop and stood too near the
track. He was thrown thirty feet

Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and not
the disease. We think of dyspepsia,
heartburn, and indigestion as real diseases, yet
they are symptoms only of a certain specific
disease—indigestion.

It was this fact that first attracted Dr. Shoop
in the treatment of this very popular stomach
remedy. Dr. Shoop's Restorative, being direct
to the stomach nerves, alone brought that success
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out that original and highly vital principle, no
such lasting accomplishment was ever to be had.
For stomach distress, bloating, flatulency, bad
breath and yellow complexion, try Dr. Shoop's
Restorative. It will do what no other remedy can
do. It is a safe and reliable remedy for your
self and for your family. We sell and dispen-
se it.

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and was picked up in an unconscious
condition with his skull and several
ribs fractured.

Link and Pin

North-western Road.

Engineer Clark has resumed work
on Nos. 51 and 52 after being relieved
a few trips by engineer Dudley.

Conductor Ransom is relieving con-
ductor Garwood on Nos. 519 and 501.

The work extra was put on this
morning in charge of conductor
Riley with engineer Dunwiddie and
engine 372.

Mr. Flynn, foreman of the bridge
and building department was here
yesterday looking over the coal shed
at the new yards.

Engineer Hager and Foreman Rus-
sell went out on Fox Lake with a work
extra today, engine 1411.

Engineer Allen and Foreman Mahon-
ey went out on 91 this morning.

Engineer Arlin went out on No. 104
this morning with engine 1623.

Engine 1385 is in the house for re-
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BELOIT FIVE LOSES
TO EVANSVILLE TEAM

Basketball Team from Line City Deat-
on by a Score of
43 to 18.

Evansville, March 23.—The basket-
ball team of Beloit came up Friday
evening to meet the Evansville team
in their final game of the season and
were badly defeated by our boys.
This must have proved a great disap-
pointment to the Line City team, as
they had boasted all the way from
Beloit to Evansville of their certain
victory, but the score, 43 to 18, shows
how completely was their fall. The
Evansville high school are justly
proud of their team as the Beloit play-
ers have an enviable reputation and
has some of the best players in the
state. The local team have not lost a
game on their own floor this season.
The second contest of the evening
took place between the first and
second girls' teams and at the close
of the game the score stood 20 to 4 in
favor of the first team.
The high school closed today morn-
ing one week before the scheduled time
owing to the fact that about one half
of the students are suffering from the
amumps. They will have an intermis-
sion of two weeks instead of one.

Donald Heddles, the little son of
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heddles, was
taken quite sick with appendicitis last
Friday and as his parents are at pre-
sent in the south his uncle, Wilford
Heddles of Madison, had him taken to
that city on the first train and he is
now in the hospital there. A tele-
phone message to friends here states
that he is rapidly gaining and it is
thought he will soon be able to go to
the home of his grandparents, Editor
and Mrs. Fred Cook at Edgerton.

Rev. Wilson, a former rector of the
St. John's Episcopal church of this
city, has been transferred from Su-
perior to Baraboo and will take up
the work in his new field April first.

The Evansville fair association are
already making extensive plans for
the 1908 fair, and Everett Van Pat-
ton, president, and W. W. Gilles, sec-
retary, spent Friday in Janesville for
the purpose of getting advertising
material.

The marriage of Miss Clara Brunell
of Evansville and Mr. Ole A. Westby
of Porter was solemnized at Stoughton
at two o'clock last Saturday after-
noon at the residence of the bride-
groom, the Rev. Dr. Deuel, who
performed the ceremony. The bride
was a beautiful young woman of
silk with trimmings of velvet and lace
and in her hand she carried a bun-
quet of white roses. She was attend-
ed by her cousin, Miss Emma (Elsie)
white and carried pink roses. Fred
Brunell, a brother of the bride, acted
as best man. Later in the afternoon
the couple were given a reception at
the home of the bride's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Carl Brunell and at six-
thirty o'clock a delicious four-course
dinner was served to a company of
seventy-five. The tables were taste-
fully decorated with ferns and carnations.
Among the guests were rela-
tives and friends from Chicago, Mad-
ison, Janesville and Stoughton. The
bride received many useful and beau-
tiful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Westby will
make their home on a farm which the
groom owns one mile and a half north
of Evansville. Their many friends
wish them much happiness in their
wedded life.

Miss Fannie Dowles returned Fri-
day evening from a week's visit in
Chicago.

Chas. Gates of Madison was an over-
sunday visitor in Evansville.

Miss Mary Sheridan goes to Japa-
nese today, where she will take a
course in the Southern Wisconsin Busi-
ness college.

Miss Marjorie Van Wart gave a
very pleasant party to a number of
her young lady friends Friday even-
ing.

Harry Stenier of Plattville was a
guest of John Evans last Friday.

Miss Ethel McCann of Madison is
here for a week's visit at the home
of J. K. Lawson.

Miss Ada Clark, who is attending
high school here, is ill at her home in
Cairoville this week.

Irwin Meyers and cousin, Orelle
Beath, students of the U. W., were
over-Sunday guests of relatives here.

The "Wee Folks" band will hold their
regular meeting in the Congrega-
tional church Thursday afternoon
at 2:30 o'clock. The barrels will be op-
ened at this time and a program ren-
dered by the children.

Mrs. E. J. Ballard spent Friday in
Janesville.

H. B. Billings entertained his brother,
Roy Billings of Chicago, over
Sunday.

Miss Anna Stevens of the U. W.
spent Sunday at home.

Miss Esther Asmus of Monticello
is here for a short visit to her sister,
Miss Heddie Asmus.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Butts of Dayton
were Evansville callers Saturday.

Mrs. P. E. Tanner and little daugh-
ter were recent Madison visitors.
Eustace Parker of Madison passed
Sunday in Evansville with his mother,
Will Hamilton and Jay Holloway of
Baraboo were Sunday visitors at the
home of Henry Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lehner of Fel-
lows Station were Evansville shoppers
Saturday.

James Stevens was here from Mad-
ison to spend Sunday with his sister,
Mrs. A. B. Perry.

Miss Anna Thomas was home from
Beloit business college over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Butts of Allen visited
friends here Saturday.

Rev. John Reynolds, presiding elder

of the Janesville district, will occupy
the pulpit of the M. E. church next
Sunday evening.

The Tourist club will meet tomor-
row evening with the Misses Marger-
et Cook and Edith Latta at the home
of Edwin Shaw.

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THE MYSTERY

By STEWART EDWARD WHITE
And SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS

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The officer called us to mess. We

ate in the after cabin. The chest was

locked, and the men had as yet been

unable to break into it. Pulz profes-

sed some skill in locksmithing and

promised to experiment later. After

mess we went on deck again. The is-

land had dropped down to the horizon

and showed as a brilliant glow under

a dark canopy. I leaned over the rail,

looking at it. Below me the extra-

dory bumped along. The idea came

to me that if I could escape that night

I could row back to Percy Darrow.

The two of us could make shift to live

on fish and shellfish and mutton. The

plan rapidly defined itself in my brain.

From the remains of the Golden Horn

we could construct some kind of a

craft in which to run free to the sum-

mer trades. Thus we might in time

reach some one or another of the

Sandwich Islands, whence a passing

trader could take us back to civiliza-

tion. There were many elements of

uncertainty in the scheme, but it seem-

ed to me less desperate than trusting to

the caprices of these men, especially

since they now had free access to the

liquor stores.

While I leaned over the rail engross-

ed in these thoughts one of the black

thunderclouds that had been gather-

ing and dissipating over the island dur-

ing the entire afternoon suddenly glowed

overhead with a strange white in-

tescence startlingly akin to Dar-

row's so-called "devil fires." Strangely

enough, this illumination, unlike the

volcanic glows, appeared to be cast on

the clouds from without rather than

shot through them from within, as

were the other volcanic emanations.

At the same instant I experienced a

sharp interior revulsion of some sort,

most briefly momentary, but of a char-

acter that shook me from head to toe.

I had no time to analyze these vari-

ous impressions, however, for my at-

tention was almost instantly distract-

ed. From the cabin came the sound

of a sharp fall; then a man cried out,

and on the heels of it Pulz darted from

the cabin, screaming horribly. We

were all on deck, and as the little man

rushed toward the stern Hardy Sol-

omon twisted him deftly from his feet.

"What is it?" he cried as he pinned

the sufferer to the deck.

But Pulz could not answer. His shiv-

ered, stiffened and lay rigid, his eyes

rolled back.

"Pulz," remarked Thrackles im-

patiently.

"The excitement died. It was forced

between the victim's lips. After a

little he recovered, but could tell us

nothing of his seizure.

After the dish had been swept

aside from supper Hardy Solomon an-

nounced a second attempt to open the

chest.

"Puncho, here, says he's been a me-

chanic," said he. "I right well know

he's been a housebreaker, so he's got

the snob for the job, and you can kiss

the look on that."

Perdoo, with a grin, leaned over the

cover from behind and began to pick

away at the lock with a long crooked

wire. The others drew close about. I

clipped nearer the door, laughing that

in their riveted interest I saw my op-

portunity. To my surprise I caught a

glimpse of legs disappearing up the

companion. I took stock. Pulz had

gone on deck.

This surprised me, for I should have

thought every man interested enough

in the supposed treasure to wish to be

present at its uncovering, and it an-

noyed me still more. The success of

my plan demanded a clear deck. How-

ever, there was nothing for it now but

to trust that Pulz had wished to visit

the fore-cabin and that I might find the

afterworks empty.

I paused at the foot of the companion

and looked back. A breathlessness of

excitement held the pirates in a vise.

From above the hanging lamp threw

strong shadows across their faces,

bringing out the deep lines, accentuat-

ing the dominant passions. With their

rags and blood, their unshaven faces,

their firearms, their fith, they showed

in violent antithesis to the immaculate

whiteness of Old Scrubs' cabin, its glitter-

ing brass and its shining leather. I

darted up the steps.

The contrast of the starry night with

the glare of the cabin lamp dazzled my

eyes. I stood stock still for a moment,

during which the only sounds audible

were the singing of the winds through

the rigging, the wash of the sea and

the small, sharp click of Perdoo's in-

strument as he worked at the chest.

Presently I could see better. I look-

ed forward and at Pulz, but could

see nothing of him and had just about

concluded that he had gone forward

when I happened to glance aloft.

There, to my astonishment, I made

him out huddled in silhouette against

the stars close to the main truck.

What he was doing there I could not

imagine. However, I did not have

time to bother my head about him

further than to rejoice that he could

not abstract me.

I should very much have liked to get

hold of a rifle and ammunition or at

least to lay in biscuit and water, but

for this there was no time. It was

not absolutely essential. The dull glow

of the island was still visible. I had

my pillar of fire and smoke to guide

me. Without further delay I jerked

loose the painter and drew the extra

dory alongside.

I had proceeded just so far in my

movements when the most extraordi-

nary thing happened. I shall try to

tell you of it as accurately as possible

and in the exact order of its occur-

rence. First a long, straight shaft of

white light shot straight up through

the cabin roof to a great height. It

shone through the wooden planks as

an ordinary light shines through glass.

By contrast the surrounding blackness

was thrown into a deeper shade, and

yet the shaft itself was so brilliant as

almost to scorch the sight. Curiously

enough, it was defined accurately, be-

ing exactly in shape like one of the

rectangular tin air shafts you see so

often in city hotels. At the instant of

its appearance the wind fell quite

calm.

Almost immediately the rectangle on

the roof through which the light made

its passage began to splay out like

lighted oil, although the column retain-

ed still the integrity of its outline.

The fire, if such it could be called, ran

with incredible rapidity along the

seams between the planks forward and

aft until the entire deck was sketched

like a pyrotechnic display in thin, vivid

lines of incandescence. From each of

these lines then the fire began again

to spread, as though soaking through

the planks.

All took place practically in an in-

stant of time. I had no opportunity

to move or to cry out. Indeed, my

perceptions were inadequate to the

task of mere observation. Up to now

there had been no sound. The wind

had fallen. The waters passed un-

noticed. A stillness of death seemed to

have descended on the ship. It was

broken by a sharp double report, one

as of the fall of a metallic substance,

the other caused by the body of Pulz,

which, shaken loose from the truck

by a heavy roll, smashed against the

rail of the ship and splashed over-

board. Some one cried out sharply.

An instant later the entire crew strug-

gled out from the companionway, rush-

ed in grim silence to the side of the

vessel and threw themselves into the

sea.

My own ideas were somewhat con-

fused. The fire had practically envel-

oped the ship. I thought to feel it,

and yet my skin was cool to the touch.

The ship's outlines became blurred. A

dizziness overtook me, and then all at

once a great desire seized and shook

my very soul. I cannot tell you the

vehementness of this desire. It was a

madness. "Nothing could stand in the

way of its gratification. Whatever

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NEWS FROM NEAR-BY NEIGHBORS

MAGNOLIA.
Magnolia, March 23.—Our town was out to quite a scare last Friday forenoon when a strange dog went through our streets biting nearly every dog it came in contact with. It got as far as Mr. Bennett's corner and the neighbors phoned for Mr. Frank Bennett to kill it. The head was sent to Madison Saturday on the noon train. Fred Woodstock and Will Letts shot their dogs who were bitten by it.

Miss Frieda Postle spent Sunday night with Hattie Harnick.

Mr. Paul Chase and Ada Clark of Calhoun and Bruce Townsend are suffering with the mumps.

Mr. Clarence Mages spent Sunday with Herman Nott of Center.

Miss Cora Harnick will be home Friday, her school being out for good. Ernest Harnick spent Sunday in Center.

Mr. August Postle attended services at the Grove church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Leo, and son Leonard spent Thursday night in Evansville.

Quite a crowd of our Woodmen attended the camp at Evansville Thursday evening.

Mrs. Fred Mau spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Gustava Postle.

Mr. William Jordan of Mendota college will preach at the Advent church next Sunday, both morning and evening, March 29, at eleven o'clock and half past seven in the evening. The M. E. preaching Sunday will be at the M. E. church Sunday afternoon, March 29, at half past two.

Little Corydon Woodstock has been on the sick list the last week.

Will Acheson and daughter, Zeta, attended church at the M. E. church Sunday.

Mr. Walter Wolcott will begin shearing sheep the tenth if it stays warm.

Miss Sarah Barringer is doing some fine weaving this spring. She has more work than she can do most of the time.

Miss Zita Acheson returned to her home in Madison Monday.

The party given in honor of Mr. Herman Lovoz was well attended. All report Mr. and Mrs. Lovoz fine on their return.

Mr. Will Loo and niece and son Roy called on Mr. Charles Roberts of Center Sunday afternoon.

KOSHKONONG.
Koshkonong, March 23.—R. Miller went to Eau Claire Saturday.

Charles Gurrigins went to Chicago last week to stay a few days.

Mrs. Treasuro Flack went to Watertown Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. E. M. Jones, returning Saturday evening.

Miss Emily Hunterskiold spent a few days of last week at Milton Junction with her aunt, Mrs. Wilman.

M. H. Dowling of Milton was a recent visitor at Iron Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cullen, Jr., of Milton Junction, were callers at P. G. Wincho's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Barlow of Janesville were at P. Traynor's Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Hall and three children of Wood county are visiting relatives here.

Joseph Kraus has purchased the C. G. Clarke farm.

Paul Kubetz of Ft. Atkinson visited his cousin, Robert Miller, last week.

W. D. Brown of Rock Prairie spent Wednesday night at P. Traynor's.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNamara and Mrs. Frank Hall and children visited at T. D. Bassett's Saturday.

A. E. Blumhans family, who have all had the measles, are better.

Miss Anna Deldrick of Johnston visited her sister, Mrs. Will Miller, last week.

Miss Clara Fox of Milton Junction is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from school duties at Otter Creek.

Miss Dorothy Grant began the spring term of school in the Grogan district this week, having spent vacation week with her parents in Rock Prairie.

Miss Florence Fox of Milton Junction attended the sociable at Scott Robinson's Tuesday evening and spent the night with her sister, Clara.

John Hurd and Willie Kunkle have purchased a sheep shearing machine.

Mrs. Ralph Marquet entertained the Mite society Thursday. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Scott Robinson Thursday, April 2.

Partners will begin plowing and this week if the weather remains dry.

WEST MAGNOLIA.
West Magnolia, March 23.—While Mr. J. Holton was returning from Evansville Thursday evening he met with an accident, his team becoming unmanageable, breaking his buggy and harness. Mr. Holton escaped with but few injuries.

Mr. J. Gorry who has been making a brief stay in Chicago has returned home.

Mr. Will Harper was a business caller at Geo. Bishop's Friday.

Mrs. Dell Lee spent Thursday evening with her sister, Mrs. Grace Bishop of Evansville.

son, and the consolation by Mrs. Thornton Read and E. Hanson.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson surprised them Friday evening. The time was spent in dancing and the music was furnished by the Torry brothers.

NORTH CENTER.
North Center, March 23.—A. Draugh sawed wood for Earl Fish Friday.

Joe Murphy spent Thursday evening with James Reilly.

Mr. and Mrs. Kopko spent Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. Ed. Volletz of Janesville.

Dan Conway delivered his tobacco in Janesville Saturday. A few more crops are left unseed in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Reilly were Sunday guests of James Murphy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Topp visited at the home of Geo. John Sunday.

Celia Reilly and Hazel John were visitors of the Barrett girls Sunday afternoon.

Miss Leta Walton, Mrs. Chas. Gosh, and Clifford visited Miss Vera Fahl Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Kopko has gone to Janesville to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Volletz.

Joe Churchill sawed wood in this neighborhood Friday.

Relatives and neighbors gathered at the pleasant home of Mrs. Otto Kersten Thursday evening to celebrate her birthday anniversary. At midnight a delicious supper was served to all and the guests on departing wished Mrs. Kersten many more happy birthdays.

SOUTH HARMONY.
South Harmony, March 23.—Mrs. Azro Clarke, who has been a patient sufferer for years, died at her home in Mt. Zion last Thursday evening. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, a brother and a niece, Miss Charlie of this place, and a brother and sister of Nebraska.

The many friends of Mrs. H. Klein are pleased to know that her health has improved so she is able to be out again.

Genevieve Decker is under the doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Godfrey attended the funeral of their niece in Lima last Tuesday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Webster was the scene of a very pleasant party last Tuesday evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Sullivan, March 10th, a girl.

Ed McCann of Chicago has been visiting his parents the past week.

Mrs. Maurice Dalton of Janesville attended the party at J. Webster's, last Tuesday evening.

Robt. Hopple of Milwaukee spent Sunday with his father, H. Hopple.

Fred Ullus spent last week in the Cream City.

Roy Godfrey of Minneapolis spent Sunday at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy attended the banquet given by the A. O. U. at the Assembly hall in Janesville the evening of March 17.

J. Fletcher and C. D. Howarth are owners of new cream separators.

Lee Perry delivered his tobacco in Janesville last Thursday.

Mr. Taylor of Chicago was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright.

LA PRAIRIE.
La Prairie, March 23.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the La Prairie creamery held March 17th, the following is the statement from March 1st, 1907, to March 1st, 1908: Total milk received, 2,902,973; total cream received, 35,586; total butter fat in milk and cream, 87,731; total butter made from milk and cream, 109,950; total money received for butter and cream, \$26,275.89; expenses for the year, \$2,018.41; cost of making, per lb., \$1.07; average price paid for butter, \$1.25; average price paid per cwt., \$1.07; average price 15 lb. market, \$2.27; increase in milk over year ending March 1st, 1907, 143,897; increase in cream over year ending March 1st, 1907, 23,668; increase in butter over year ending March 1st, 1907, 13,254; per cent of increase over year ending March 1st, 1907, 15.17%; per cent of increase over year ending March 1st, 1906, 23%.

Mrs. Marion Woodstock is entertaining her sister and daughter of California.

Several friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hill surprised them at their home Thursday evening. The time was pleasantly spent in playing cards.

Carl Keller of Janesville spent a part of Sunday and Monday with Geo. Sherman.

Miss Edith Saylor of Janesville spent the past week with Mrs. Robt. Ashton.

A social invitation is extended to all to attend a social dancing party given by the L. O. O. F. at the East Side I. O. O. F. hall April 1, 1908.

The L. M. B. S. will meet at the Grange hall, April 8, in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Newman gave a six o'clock dinner Saturday evening to several friends, which was most heartily enjoyed by all. After the tables were cleared the remainder of the evening was spent in playing cards. The first prizes were won by Mrs. Eugene Culver and U. E. Gleason.

NORTH HARMONY.
North Harmony, March 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Myron Clark have shipped their goods and leave Tuesday afternoon for Los Angeles, Calif., where they are going. Their many friends regret their leaving, and they will be greatly missed in this community. But we wish them the best of success and happiness in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Westby of Emerald Grove have taken possession of their farm purchased of Myron Clark.

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Miss Beadie Cary spent several days



Your Way

You bake beans in a home oven.
The maximum heat is 200 degrees. In the center of the baking dish, by actual test, it is about 100 degrees.
It requires a fierce heat to break down the fibre of beans, and you cannot supply it.
The result is a heavy food, hard to digest.

You bake beans in a dry heat.
The result is the top beans are crisped. The beans in the center are not even half baked.
You burst the skins, so that the beans become mushy, rather than mealy. Every bean should be whole.

You add the tomato sauce afterwards. It becomes then a dressing, not a part of the beans.
You spend hours in the soaking, the boiling, the baking; and consume considerable fuel.
The bother is irksome. The dish that results is not very good, nor good for you. You think once a week is enough.
Yet it isn't your fault. You simply lack the facilities.



Our Way

We heat our ovens to 245 degrees.
A thermometer is attached to each oven, so the heat never varies. We bake the beans 90 minutes.
That terrific heat separates the atoms, so the digestive juices can get to them. A lesser heat will not do it. Beans, to be digestible, must be factory cooked.

We bake in live steam.
The result is, each separate bean is baked thoroughly, and all are baked alike. None are browned, none are broken.
The beans are baked until they are mealy. Yet they are nutty because they are whole.

We bake the beans, the tomato sauce and the pork all together, and get our delicious blend.
We send our beans to you ready to serve.
Put the can in hot water ten minutes—then open. That's all. You then have a steaming hot meal, fresh and savory.
And such a meal! Your people will want Van Camp's every day when they know them. So keep a dozen cans in the house.

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PORK AND BEANS

BAKED WITH TOMATO SAUCE

You don't know what you miss—you who don't use Van Camp's. Beans are Nature's choicest food—23% nitrogenous; 84% nutriment. Like meat in their food value; not like it in cost. They are appetizing and hearty; all people like them. They should be a daily dish—not an occasional. You will eat more of them when you know Van Camp's.

We Pay \$3.45

We could buy tomato juice for 75c per barrel. Yet we pay \$3.45 for just the ripe tomatoes used in a barrel of ours.

The difference is this: Cheap tomato sauce is made from tomatoes picked green and ripened in shipment. Such sauce is flat.

Else it is made of scraps from a canning factory. Such sauce is not rich.

We use only whole tomatoes ripened on the vines, picked when the juice fairly sparkles.

Thus we supply that superlative zest, that flavor, that tang, which Nature alone can give.

We spend exactly five times as much to make this sauce as other sauce costs ready-made. But you will say the result is worth it.

We Pay \$2.10

We could buy beans as low as 30c per bushel, yet we pay \$2.10 for ours.

We buy Michigan beans, because a certain soil there produces the best beans grown.

The choicest part of the crop is picked over by hand, so we get only the whitest, the plumpest, the fullest-grown.

We use only succulent, corn-fed pork.

No wonder your grocer has brands that cost less, yet pay him a better profit.

But you won't like the cheap beans. Your people won't eat them often.

It is far more economical to serve the best beans—beans that you can't serve too often. Then serve them in place of meat.

We have spent 47 years in perfecting this dish. And Van Camp's now command, by several times over, the largest sale in the world.

Prices: 10, 15 and 20c per can.

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last week with Blanche Rice.

Alfred Yates is preparing to build a new kitchen on his home.

Azro Clark has the sympathy of his many friends in his affliction.

GIRL STUDENTS GIVE A LEAP YEAR PARTY

Entertain Young Men of Milton College at a Leap-year Masquerade.

Milton, March 21.—The students of Milton college enjoyed an unique entertainment Thursday evening. It was a leap-year masquerade and it was a decided success. The function was given by the girls of Goodrich hall, invitations being issued to the college boys informing them that a fair unknown would call for them, and to the girls intending them to each bring a gentleman to Goodrich hall. All being masked the combinations, though the difficulties some of the ladies experienced in finding their partners did not appear to them as greatly missed in this community. But we wish them the best of success and happiness in their new home.

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was given a heart and mitten and the ladies were required to propose, the boys having the option of giving either his heart or mitten. As each girl secured a heart mitten was removed and her little companion her to supper. Next a card was given to each guest with the names of six places on it and at the playing of a bell one visited them successively, being entertained for a time at each. In the "luncheon" a game of passing clothes-plus was indulged in. The players, lined up in two rows and clothes-plus passed down each line from hand to hand, the object being to pass the greatest number in the shortest time. In "Delphi" the guests were given a peep into the future through the medium of palmistry. The "Devil's Gorge" was an endurance test, the subjects being seated at a table with hands underneath and various terrible feeling objects passed to them which proved too much for many nerves. The "Lovers' Retreat" furnished a candy hunt, the greatest number of hearts winning a prize. The "Gridiron" was a miniature football game, with a short for the field and a winning factor. The "Tower of Babel" gave an opportunity to tug the tongue. At a seemingly hour the masquerade was politely escorted to the several homes.—"Mask."

The judges at the oratorical contest Monday evening were Prof. J. F. Palmer, Ripon college, Prof. J. G. Roselwell, Lawrence university, and President W. O. Carrier, Carroll college, on thought and composition; and Miss Eleanor M. Brown, Downer college, President Albert Salisbury, Whitewater Normal, and P. B. Kennedy, Beloit college, on delivery.

On Tuesday evening, April 7, Mrs. May Wood Park will speak on Woman's Suffrage at College chapel.

Mrs. W. H. Wilbur, who has been ill for many months, died Thursday at her home in this village. She

leaves a husband, one son, Geo. H. of this place, and three daughters, Mrs. O. Rose Wilbur of Fontana, and Mrs. E. Orent and Miss Irene Wilbur of this village. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon and evening, at the Christian Scientists, of which church she was a member.

N. W. Crowley was able to be down town Monday for the first time in six weeks.

A. D. Durdick returned to the National home at Danville, Ill., Friday. The electric road people were in the village Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. S. Jones and daughter, Elaine of Janesville visited Mrs. Martha Reynolds, Friday.

The Memorial day committee of the Citizens' association is composed of the following members: W. H. Cleland, A. O. Gifford, P. J. Lee, G. E. Osborn and F. H. Gifford.

Remember the banquet of the Citizens' association Thursday evening, April 2. Hon. Thos. S. Nolan speaks. Secure your tickets.

Prof. Hartley Jackson of Whitewater, Ill., spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Prof. E. P. Saunders, who is teaching at Manitowish, spent Saturday at A. J. Wells.

Aunt, Sup't. J. B. Borden of Madison went to Oregon next month to spend the summer and from there to California for the winter.

Miss Weeks, student secretary of the Illinois Y. W. C. A., is the guest of the local society.

JOHNSTOWN.
Johnstown, March 23.—Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hall were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Peabody, Barkers Corners.

J. Haight and A. Scharino had their herd of cattle tested last week and found twelve out of thirty that were affected with tuberculosis.

Grace Rye, Dorothy and Rosamond Cook, and Robert Bell are all ill with scarletina.

Miss Proctor has closed her school at the Center on account of scarletina.

Mrs. Wm. Millard is very ill with scarlet fever. Their home is under quarantine.

Wm. Schmaling went to Milwaukee Friday to consult a specialist in regard to his eyes. He was accompanied by J. T. Ward.

John McKellips returned home Friday from Sioux City, Iowa.

Miss Ellen Caldwell was a Sunday guest of Miss Meryl Hall of Beloit.

Mrs. Allen Cogswell, Doris and Margaret are spending the week in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pamber and family of Janesville spent Saturday at the farm home.

Joe Humes is home from Needler, Calif., for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wood were Saturday guests of her sister, Mrs. W. Hall, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor were Saturday guests at G. Wetmore's. Millard May Matthews' friends will be glad to hear there has been a slight change for the better and we hope for a recovery.

Mrs. Lela Cummings and son Orin of Lima were guests last Saturday of local friends.

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